

PATENT #2

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Continuation Application of)
Rezaiifar, et al.) For: Method for Detection Delayed
Serial No. Unknown) Data Frames in a Transport
Filed: Herewith) Function
Group Art Unit: 2663



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UNDER 37 CFR § 1.97

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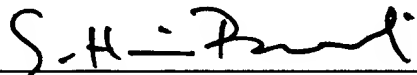
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Respectfully submitted,

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